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Examiner: Chanter Harrison
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Title: **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR CONFIGURABLE GAMMA CORRECTION
IN A VIDEO GRAPHICS CIRCUIT**

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PETITION TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT

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Although it is not believed that the Applicant is required to pay a petition fee to revive the abandoned application, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any requisite petition fee to Account No. 50-0441. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed for that purpose.

Applicants' attorney signing below has made the statements above based on personal knowledge of the facts surrounding the Notice of Abandonment.

Respectfully submitted,

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